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### **PSC SETS INTERVENTION DEADLINE IN TERRITORIAL AGREEMENT CASE**

JEFFERSON CITY—The Empire District Electric Company and Ozark Electric Cooperative have filed a joint application seeking Commission approval of a territorial agreement which designates the boundaries of each electric supplier within two tracts of land in Greene and Christian County, just south of Republic, Missouri.

The joint application states the territorial agreement does not require the transfer of any facilities or customers between the applicants. The application also states that establishment of exclusive service territories will prevent future duplication of electric service facilities and will also allow electric service customers within the area to know with certainty the supplier of their electric service.

Applications to intervene and participate in this case must be filed on or before **August 8, 2006**, with the Secretary of the Missouri Public Service Commission, P.O. Box 360, Jefferson City, Missouri 65102. Copies of the application should be sent to: Gary W. Duffy, Esq., Brydon, Swearingen & England, P.C., 312 East Capitol, P.O. Box 456, Jefferson City, Missouri 65102; Rodric A. Widger, Esq., Andereck, Evans, Milne, Peace & Widger, L.L.C., 1111 South Glenstone Avenue, Suite 2-100, Springfield, Missouri 65804; and the Office of the Public Counsel, P.O. Box 2230, Jefferson City, Missouri 65102.

The Office of the Public Counsel is a separate state agency which represents the general public in matters before the Commission. Individual citizens wishing to comment should contact either the Office of the Public Counsel (Governor Office Building, 200 Madison Street, Suite 650, P.O. Box 2230, Jefferson City, Missouri 65102, telephone 573-751-4857) or the Public Service Commission Staff (P.O. Box 360, Jefferson City, Missouri 65102, telephone 1-800-392-4211).